

A LARGE GATHERING

Of Odd Fellows At Quindaro Hall Tuesday Evening

To Greet Grand Master A. C. Bachtel Of Akron

Who Made His Official Visit To Mt. Vernon

A Fine Address Given By Grand Lodge Officer

Remarks Made By Various Members Of The Order

One of the largest gatherings of Odd Fellows ever held in a lodge room in Knox county was present Tuesday evening at Quindaro Hall to meet Grand Master A. C. Bachtel of Akron, on his official visit to Knox county.

The lodge opened in regular form with the officers in their chairs and visiting brothers from all parts of the county present. After the regular routine business had been transacted Grand Master Bachtel was introduced by Past Grand Master Lewis B. Houck.

The grand master in his opening remarks stated that he had been four months trying to get to Mt. Vernon, and had but two weeks of his term of office left, so that it was now or never, and in explaining his delay he said he had traveled over 3,000 miles the past year in attending to the affairs of the various lodges throughout the state and that he had held grand lodge sessions in 47 different counties. He then made an explanation of the various blanks used by the order and clearly showed where the average member was deficient in knowledge of matters which were highly essential to a member should he ever get very far from home. He then spoke of the many good principles of the order and what it meant to be an Odd Fellow—indeed as well as in spirit. He urged a more faithful attendance upon the regular meetings. For a few minutes he interpreted some of the laws laid down by the sovereign grand lodge and showed wherein many lodges were not living up to the laws as they should. He urged a more careful procedure where business was concerned. After his talk along these lines he next gave an impressive exemplification of the ritualistic work in the initiatory degree and brought out the beauties of this degree in a manner that was a pleasing surprise to most of those present and demonstrated that there is as much in the delivery of a charge as there is in the committing of the same.

After the address by the grand master, the regular meeting of the lodge was closed and a smoker was enjoyed by those present.

In the after-meeting, Mr. James A. Schaeffer presided as toastmaster and a large number of short addresses were made by members of the order throughout the county. All expressed themselves as thoroughly enjoying the occasion and wished that such reunions might be of more frequent occurrence.

Taken as a whole the visit of Mr.

Bachtel was one which will be of great benefit to the order at large and will be long remembered by the individual.

THREE

From Knox County Graduate This Year At O. W. U.

The Annual Commencement On Next Thursday

Knox county will have three graduates among the 189 who will receive diplomas at the 68th Annual Commencement of Ohio Wesleyan University, at Delaware, next Wednesday, June 12th. Mr. Robt. D. Dows, of Mt. Vernon, will receive the degree, Bachelor of Science; Mr. Jay L. Clow, of Mt. Vernon, the degree, Bachelor of Arts; and Mr. Emanuel Ernest Hicks, of Centerville, the degree, Bachelor of Arts.

The exercises of Commencement week begin Saturday with the art exhibits and recitals of the School of Music. Sunday, President Herbert Welch, D. D., will preach the Baccalaureate sermon, and Rev. Walter D. Cole, D. D., will give the evening address before the Students' Christian Association.

Monday is Recognition Day, with the many awards and honors, the class day exercises at which John Edwin Brown, M. A., M. D., of Columbus, is a chief speaker, and many miscellaneous events. In the evening the School of Oratory presents the play of Macbeth.

Tuesday is the Alumni day, with quinquennial reunions of the classes from '57 to '07, the great banquet for over 1200 alumni in Edwards Gymnasium, with Hon. Frank S. Monnett, '80, as speaker. President Welch gives his reception in the evening.

Wednesday morning, Dr. Frank W. Gansaulus, D. D., LL. D., '75, of Chicago, will give the annual Commencement address.

UTICA

People In Auto Accident Near Hartford City, Ind.

(Hartford City Times-Gazette)
An automobile party composed of Mr. and Mrs. George Rapp, Jr., and little child, Mrs. Carl McCann of Utica, Ohio, Miss Grace Patterson of Utica, Ohio, and Mrs. L. G. Getz and daughter of Cincinnati, Ohio, was marooned near the James Neal home three miles southwest of the city Monday night for over four hours when the auto driven by Mr. Rapp jumped the road and wedged itself into the side ditch. It remained in the ditch until an automobile was sent to its rescue from the Blackford garage. Mr. Rapp and party were making a drive in the country and when they neared the Neal home Mr. Rapp lost control of the car which plunged from the road into the side ditch. Luckily the car did not overturn and none of the party was injured. A team of horses was secured at the Neal home and an attempt was made to put the auto on the road again. In pulling the car to the road the horses failed to stop at the right time and the car ran over the road into the ditch on the other side where it became so firmly wedged that all efforts to dislodge it failed to move it from its position. The accident happened about 7 o'clock and it was after 11 o'clock before the tired party reached this city. The women of the party were forced to retire at the Neal residence until the relief automobile arrived from the Blackford garage. No damage was done to the auto.

ELECT OFFICERS

At the regular meeting of Quindaro lodge, No. 316, I. O. O. F., on Tuesday evening the following officers were elected:

Noble Grand—William Denman.
Vice Grand—J. E. Stonebrook.

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TO SUBMIT TO VOTERS

Proposition Of Bond Issue For A New Jail

Commissioners Discuss The Matter On Tuesday

May Submit Question To A Vote In November

Criminal Cases Taken Up In Common Pleas Court

Other Items Of Interest From Temple Of Justice

The voters of Knox county may have an opportunity of voting on the proposition of a bond issue for the building of a new county jail at the November election.

The matter was discussed by the county commissioners at their quarterly session on Tuesday and it seemed to be the opinion of the members of the board to submit the matter to a vote at the November election.

The present jail structure is in such a condition that improvements or repairs are impossible. Grand Juries for the past 20 years have condemned the building and have recommended a new structure.

Just what the sum of the bond issue will be has not yet been determined, but will possibly be done so at an early date.

Sheep Clean Allowed

The county commissioners at their session on Tuesday allowed a large number of sheep claims. The county auditor is not yet prepared to pay the claims and the list of claims will not be published until County Auditor Young is prepared to issue warrants for the various amounts.

Common Pleas Court
Judge E. M. Wickham arrived in the city from Delaware Wednesday afternoon and convened common pleas court at 2 o'clock. The regular assignment of criminal cases was taken up.

Contracts To Be Let

The Knox county commissioners will have a busy session on Monday, June 17, at which time a large number of contracts will be let. Contracts will be let for the abutments for several bridges and for the construction of one bridge. The commissioners will be in session all day.

First and Final

Park B. Blair, executor of Adam Kime, who was executor of Sarah A. Kime, has filed a first and final account in probate, showing the following: Paid out \$796.85, due executor, \$796.85.

New Bond Filed

Emma L. Safford, executrix of Henry Vigor, has filed a new bond in probate court in the sum of \$1,500 and the same has been approved.

Deeds Filed

E. O. Dunmire to A. M. Dunmire, 14 acres in Pike, \$1,400.
George J. Ewers to S. M. Garber, 68 1-4 acres in Berlin, \$2,500.

OFFICERS

Elected By Thompson Cooper Lodge, K. Of P.

Thompson Cooper lodge, No. 7, K. of P., elected the following officers on Tuesday evening:
C. C.—Charles A. Hamilton.
V. C.—H. C. Curry.
Prelate—Joseph L. Booker.
K. of R. & S.—William T. Newsum.
M. of F.—A. H. Simmons.
M. of E. Charles J. Turner.
M. at A.—Guy Gibson.
M. of W.—S. J. Simmons.
I. G.—G. L. Simmons.
O. G.—William Jackson.
Trustee, 18 months—H. C. Curry.

A play to be produced early next season is called "The New Six."

COMPLETE

Arrangements For Odd Fellows Memorial Service

At a meeting of Quindaro lodge, No. 316, I. O. O. F., held Tuesday evening arrangements were completed for the annual memorial service of all the Odd Fellow lodges of the city and the Daughters of Rebekah. The service this year has been arranged as follows: Bring flowers for decorating the graves of the deceased and meet at Quindaro hall at 9 a. m. next Sunday, June 9, and march to the cemetery. After decorating the graves of the members return to the Methodist Protestant church where Rev. J. T. Black will preach the memorial sermon at 10:30 o'clock.

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MINSTREL

Show To Be Given By The Elks Early In July

The following committees have been named to assume charge of the Elks' Minstrels, which will be given sometime during the first part of July:

General committee—J. M. Conroy, Jos. Hancock, W. C. Appleton, D. B. Tuttle, H. M. Zundt, Julius Headington, S. J. Dorgan, Ralph Headington, J. J. Plouts and Allen Johnson.
Ticket committee—Jos. Hancock.
Publicity committee—Julius Headington, C. F. Allerding.
Parade committee—Ed. Parker, Allen Johnson, Jno. Spence, Ralph Headington, Jno. Willemin, Louis Jacquet.
Program committee—F. M. Nease, D. C. Stone.

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LOCAL

Talent Soon To Produce "The Heart Of The Ozarks"

The Keystone Dramatic Co., composed of young people of Mt. Vernon, will present "The Heart of the Ozarks" in a few days at the Grand Theatre. This company has worked hard on the play and all have mastered their parts. The same bill was presented by the Keystone Co. at Martinsburg some time ago and met with great success. It is composed of four acts.

The following persons appear in the cast: Letta Ewers, "Cruso" Robinson, Lory Gilpin, Landice Altenburg, Florence Selegue, Clarence Berry, Hovey Altenburg, Charles Hamilton.

Lawn Fete At Lakeholm

The Women's Guild of St. Paul's parish will hold a lawn fete at Lakeholm on Thursday, June 13, from 3 until 9, to which the public are cordially invited. Free transportation from parish house from three o'clock on. In case of rain it will be held on Friday.

The Shuberts next season will present in New York Michael Faraday's recent London success, "The Nightbirds." The English company will be brought over.

CONVENT

Life Given Up By Girl To Wed Army Officer

St. Louis, Mo., June 5.—Miss Emily Clopton, daughter of wealthy and prominent St. Louisans, who entered a convent 10 months ago with the intention of devoting her life to the duties of a nun, was married at her home last night to Lieutenant Elkin L. Franklin, of the Thirteenth Cavalry, U. S. A., stationed at Ft. Riley, Kan.

Miss Clopton is the only Catholic in her family. Her mother died several years ago, and Emily was placed in the Sacred Heart Convent in St. Louis.

After Miss Clopton left the St. Louis convent she took little interest in social affairs, and last July she startled her family and acquaintances with the announcement she had decided to become a nun.

Being a graduate of the Sacred Heart Convent in St. Louis, she selected a convent of that order at Rochester, N. Y., in which to enter the sisterhood.

Last November she made a trip to Leavenworth, Kan., and there met Lieutenant Franklin.

DIRECTORY NOTES

The new annual directory of the Mt. Vernon Telephone company is in preparation and subscribers who desire any change in name, initial or street address, will please call "information" and give correct listing.

Each subscriber is entitled to one listing, but extra name service can be arranged for at an annual charge of \$1 for residence and \$3 for business, payable in advance.

This is a great advantage where two or more parties occupy the same house or office, to get each name listed in the directory.

To have your name listed in this directory is of value to every telephone user. Parties who are not subscribers and who are contemplating service, would do well to decide promptly and get their names listed in the new directory.

PLEADED GUILTY

Thomas Harrington, who several days ago pleaded guilty to a charge of exceeding the speed limit and whose hearing was to have been Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, appeared before Mayor Perrine Wednesday morning and changed his plea to guilty. He was fined \$5 and costs.

GROOM

Was Asleep So Wedding Was Postponed

Wabash, Ind., June 5.—With the groom in bed and attended by a physician, Lloyd Kelch and Miss Florence Meyers, both of this city, were married this morning.

The wedding was to have taken place last evening, but before the guests and minister had arrived it was announced that it would be necessary to postpone the ceremony.

It then was learned that an hour before the wedding was to have taken place the groom had been taken ill, and to relieve him he was given morphine.

Not until this morning was he restored to consciousness.

SLID TO HIS DEATH

Chicago, June 5.—J. T. Balk, member of the fire department, was killed this morning by falling through a pole hole at engine house. It is thought he tried to descend pole to first floor while dreaming he heard a fire alarm.

Graduates

A suitable gift for each young man and woman graduate can be selected from the many departments of Books, Fancy Stationery, Fountain Pens, Fancy China and Souvenir Spoons. Articles for the desk and toilet articles for the dressing table. Acceptable gifts for boys and girls at the lowest prices at The Arnold Store, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

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Miss Melle Penhorwood of Mt. Vernon is visiting with relatives in Howard for a few days.

Miss Lind of Cleveland, trimmer at Mrs. Hanbury's millinery store in Danville, is suffering with an attack of diphtheria.

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S. & O. R. R.
East

No. 14..... 7:10 a. m.
No. 4..... 11:30 a. m.
No. 16..... 5:57 p. m.
No. 8..... 7:58 p. m.

West

No. 7..... 8:24 a. m.
No. 17..... 8:57 a. m.
No. 3..... 2:42 p. m.
No. 15..... 2:53 p. m.
Nos. 16 and 17 daily, except Sunday. Other trains daily.

PENNSYLVANIA R. R.—Akron Div.

South Bound

*No. 506..... 12:41 a. m.
*No. 522..... 6:20 a. m.
*No. 504..... 8:35 a. m.
*No. 518..... 10:55 a. m.
*No. 502..... 12:25 p. m.
*No. 508..... 5:00 p. m.
*No. 500..... 9:37 p. m.

North Bound

*No. 507..... 2:40 a. m.
*No. 501..... 7:24 a. m.
*No. 505..... 8:26 a. m.
*No. 503..... 2:08 p. m.
*No. 505..... 6:05 p. m.
*No. 519..... 6:45 p. m.
*No. 523 (to Mt. Vernon only)..... 1:30 p. m.

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